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## JUNE 2009

### Wednesday, June 17, 2009

#### Penn Vet 125th Anniversary Research Symposium— “Animal Diseases in Translational Research”

*Penn Medicine, BRB Building II/III  
Philadelphia, PA*

Symposium organizers: John H. Wolfe, VMD, PhD, professor and director, Walter Flato Goodman Center for Comparative Medical Genetics.

To honor our history during our 125th anniversary year, we are holding a celebratory research symposium to highlight contributions and focus on a bright future of research on animal diseases in biomedicine. Several distinguished external speakers are invited as well as Penn Vet faculty, who will present studies in animal diseases that have, or may, facilitate translation of basic studies to clinical application. The focus of the conference will be on naturally occurring animal diseases in the domestic animal species, including both captive and clinical populations. Translational research, interpreted broadly, can include any therapeutic strategy, such as transplantation, pharmacologic, recombinant protein, genetic, stem cell, surgical, engineering, synthetic, electronic, nano-technologies and other approaches, as well as understanding mechanisms of disease to provide new avenues for therapy. Talks will spotlight clinical diseases that can be studied to advance medicine for all species.

## JULY 2009

### Monday, July 13, 2009

#### AVMA Annual Convention

*Penn Vet Alumni Reception  
Seattle, WA*

## AUGUST 2009

### Friday, August 14, 2009

*Pennsylvania Veterinary Medical Association  
Keystone Veterinary Conference  
Reception  
Hershey, PA*

## SEPTEMBER 2009

### September 24–27, 2009

#### The Robert M. Kenney Equine Reproduction Symposium (26 CE credits)

*Longwood Gardens and New Bolton Center  
www.robertmkenneysymposium.com*

The Robert M. Kenney Symposium is a state-of-the-art continuing-education program for veterinary and animal science professionals and current students, reflecting Dr. Kenney's broad interests and influence on the advancement of knowledge in equine reproduction. The program includes a two-day symposium with state-of-the-art review presentations and discussions followed by two days of wet labs, all presented by Dr. Kenney's residents, graduate students, and colleagues. The program proceeds will benefit the Robert M. Kenney Opportunity Scholarship Endowment for support of veterinary students pursuing equine reproduction at Penn Vet.

## OCTOBER 2009

### Saturday, October 24, 2009

#### Parents & Partners Day

*Philadelphia and New Bolton Center campuses*

Orientation for families of first-year students.

## NOVEMBER 2009

### Monday, November 16, 2009

#### White Coat Ceremony

*Zellerbach Theater, Annenberg Center, Philadelphia, PA*

### Friday, November 20, 2009

#### Rush Shippen Huidekoper Society Dinner

*Philadelphia Campus*

## DECEMBER 2009

### Monday, December 7, 2009

#### American Association of Equine Practitioners Annual Convention

*Penn Vet Alumni Reception  
Las Vegas, NV*